

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend Claims 1 and 3. Please cancel Claim 2.

1           1.     (Currently Amended).     A process for preparing a soy  
2 composition, said process comprising:  
3                 providing a whole ground soybean particulate dimensioned less than  
4 about 10 microns;  
5                 incorporating at least one of an acid and an acid salt with said ground  
6 soybean particulate;  
7                 adding water to said particulate in an amount sufficient to provide  
8 liquid consistency; and  
9                 treating said liquid at a pressure greater than about 2,000 psi.

1           2.     (Cancelled).

1           3.     (Currently Amended) The process of ~~Claim 2~~ Claim 1, wherein said  
2 salt is the salt of an organic acid and is selected from the group consisting of alkali  
3 metal and alkaline metal and alkaline earth metal salts of citric acid and  
4 combinations of said metal salts.

1           4.     (Original) The process of Claim 1, further including incorporating at  
2 least one of a stabilizer, a suspension agent, an emulsifier and combinations  
3 thereof.

1           5.     (Original) The process of Claim 1, further including incorporating  
2 heating said liquid.

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1           6.     (Original) The process of Claim 1, wherein said pressure treatment  
2     is at a first pressure, and subsequent treatment is at a second pressure, wherein said  
3     second pressure is less than said first pressure.

1           7.     (Original) The process of Claim 1, further including dehydrating  
2     said liquid after said pressure treatment.

1     Claims 8 through 11. (Cancelled).